

LEGAL NOTICE – VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Citizens may comment on a proposed consent order for a facility in Montgomery County, Virginia

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: April 15, 2008 to May 14, 2008

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To invite the public to comment on a proposed consent order.

A consent order is issued to a business owner or other responsible party to perform specific actions that will bring the entity into compliance with the relevant law and regulations. It is developed cooperatively with the facility and entered into by mutual agreement.

CONSENT ORDER DESCRIPTION: The State Water Control Board proposes to issue a consent order to the Alliant Techsystems, Inc. and the United States Army, RFAAP to address alleged violations of Virginia's regulations. The location of the facility where the alleged violation occurred is the Radford Army Ammunition Plant ("RAAP"). The consent order describes a settlement to resolve effluent limit violations and unpermitted discharges at RAAP. It includes a civil charge.

HOW A DECISION IS MADE: After public comments have been considered, the State Water Control Board will make a final decision.

HOW TO COMMENT: DEQ accepts comments from the public by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the comment period.

TO REVIEW THE CONSENT ORDER: The public may review the proposed consent order at the DEQ West Central Regional Office every work day by appointment or on the DEQ web site at www.deq.virginia.gov.

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